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Grant County Businesswoman Arrested for Tax Evasion

Betty Z. Starbuck, a Grant County resident and operator of both Lloyd's Flowers & Gifts in Marion, Indiana, and Lew-Zanes Flowers in Gas City, was arrested Tuesday, January 14, 2003 for Failure to Remit Sales Tax.

The Indiana Department of Revenue's Criminal Investigation Division filed two Class D felonies against Starbuck with the Grant County Prosecuting Attorney as a result of an investigation into the business practices of the two shops.

Starbuck is alleged to have collected over \$17,000 in sales tax from her customers but failed to remit those taxes to the State of Indiana.

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